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INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether low power relay transmission have been set up in Kailaras-Vijaypur of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, whether there is sufficient staff at above relay centres;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the above centre is functioning round the clock;

(e) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(f) the measures taken so far for its fully functioning?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF T DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): No, Sir.

(c), (d), (e) & (f): The relay centres are providing part time transmission as only skeleton staff was sanctioned for operation and maintenance pending revision of staffing norms for various Doordarshan / AIR facilities. The staffing norms have since been revised and these centres would start full time transmission as soon as staffs through redeployment assume duty.